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Sent: Thursday, April 21, 2005 6:06 PM
To: Fronda, Christian; STIC-Biotech/ChemLib
Subject: RE: Rush Search for Serial No. 09/837,992

Please Rush. Thanks Chris

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From: Fronda, Christian
Sent: Thursday, April 21, 2005 1:58 PM
To: Chan, Christina
Subject: Rush Search for Serial No. 09/837,992
Importance: High

I would like to request a Rush Search for Serial No. 09/837,992 since it is an amended case now requiring a search.
Thank you.

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Please perform sequence search and interference search for Serial No. 09/837,992

1. Please search SEQ ID No: 3 against nucleic acid commercial and interference databases including pending and issued.
2. Please search SEQ ID No: 4 against nucleic acid commercial and interference databases including pending and issued.

Please save on COMPUTER DISKETTES.

Please save results from interference data base search on different diskettes from the commercial and issued search results.

Thank you very much.

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Searcher: _____
Searcher Phone: 2- _____
Date Searcher Picked up: 4/22/05
Date Completed: 4/25/05
Searcher Prep/Rev. Time: _____
Online Time: _____

Type of Search

NA#: _____ AA#: _____
Interference: _____ SPDI: _____
S/L: _____ Oligomer: _____
Encode/Transl: _____
Structure#: _____ Text: _____
Inventor: _____ Litigation: _____

Vendors and cost where applicable

STN: _____
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LEXIS/NEXIS: _____
SEQUENCE SYSTEM: _____
WWW/Internet: _____
Other(Specify): _____



STIC SEARCH RESULTS

Biotech-Chem Library

Questions about the scope or the results of the search? Contact *the searcher or contact:*

Mary Hale, Information Branch Supervisor
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Voluntary Results Feedback Form

➤ I am an examiner in Workgroup: Example: 1610

➤ Relevant prior art **found**, search results used as follows:

- ☐ 102 rejection
- ☐ 103 rejection
- ☐ Cited as being of interest.
- ☐ Helped examiner better understand the invention.
- ☐ Helped examiner better understand the state of the art in their technology.

Types of relevant prior art found:

- ☐ Foreign Patent(s)
- ☐ Non-Patent Literature
(journal articles, conference proceedings, new product announcements etc.)

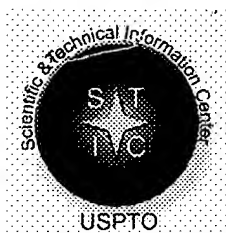
➤ Relevant prior art **not found**:

- ☐ Results verified the lack of relevant prior art (helped determine patentability).
- ☐ Results were not useful in determining patentability or understanding the invention.

Comments:

Drop off or send completed forms to STIC-Biotech-Chem Library Remsen Bldg.





STIC Search Report

Biotech-Chem Library

STIC Database Tracking Number: 151407

TO: Christian Fronda
Location: rem/2d78/2c70
Art Unit: 1652
Monday, April 25, 2005

Case Serial Number: 09/837992

From: Edward Hart
Location: Biotech-Chem Library
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Search Notes

Examiner Fronda,

Here are the results of the search you requested.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Edward Hart

Protein Sequence Searches - February 2005

All of the sequence databases on ABSS have recently been updated.

- Please note that the curators of the UniProt database have purged some temporary accession numbers from the most recent version of UniProt. These sequences have been assigned new permanent accession numbers. The new UniProt record may not contain the previous temporary accession number.
- If you encounter an accession number from an older search run against UniProt (results file extension **.rup**) that can no longer be found in the database, the permanent record with the new accession number can be found by searching the old accession number in the UniProt Protein Archive database (UniPARC) at:

<http://www.pir.uniprot.org/database/archive.shtml>

If you have any questions regarding this information or your results, please contact any STIC searcher.

When submitting sequence search results for scanning into IFW, please include a copy of this attachment to assist any future Examiners or members of the public who may encounter UniProt temporary accession numbers.

Pending Nucleic Acid and Pending Amino Acid database searches generate two sets of results each. The Pending databases have been split into two parts to reduce the amount of time required for their daily updates. This results in more machine time being available for processing searches. Searches run against the Nucleic Acid Pending database produce two sets of results, with the extensions **.rnpn** and **.rnpn**. Searches run against the Amino Acid Pending database produce two sets of results, with the extensions **.rapn** and **.rapn**.

Because they contain data that is confidential, the results of Pending database searches should not be left in the case .